

INDEPENDENT SOCIALIST LEADER ARRAIGNS NOSKE

Hugo Haase Declares German Defense Minister's Methods a Return to Imperialism.

URGES RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA

In Response Government Speaker Denounces Independents as Originators of Spartacists' Murderous Outbreaks.

(By Associated Press.)
WEIMAR, March 29.—In the National Assembly Hugo Haase, the Independent Socialist leader, made a violent attack upon Gustave Noske, the Minister of Defense, for his methods in suppressing the recent strikes, the shooting of Spartacists and other alleged abuses of power, claiming that the defense minister's course constituted a return to imperialism.

Herr Haase also attacked Chancellor Scheidemann for underestimating Sunday's demonstration in Berlin in favor of General Ludendorff, declaring this showed that the present military leaders of the nation were standing solidly behind Ludendorff, supported by the conservative and other parties of the right, as well as a portion of the bourgeoisie.

Herr Haase, who was frequently interrupted during his attack, declared in favor of entering into immediate relations with Russia, saying the Ukraine would soon be able to supply Germany with raw material and later with food.

Herr Erberger, the center leader, falsified, when he told of a cabinet meeting held December 12, at which independent socialist non-members of the government who were present agreed with a decision to send a note to the entente urging the necessity for a common front against Bolshevism by Germany and the entente.

Herr Erberger in his reply to this, insisted that his statements were true.

Herr Noske, in his reply to Herr Haase, charged the independents with being the originators of the Spartacist nations and said the government would place before the assembly all the facts in connection with the "murderous acts" of the Spartacists.

AMERICAN VETERANS ARE FAST RE-ENLISTING

Many Say They Want to Return to France—Others "Like the Life."

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 29.—American veterans of Chateau-Thierry, Meuse, the Lorraine front, and the Argonne, who only a few weeks ago accepted their army discharges, are daily re-enlisting here, and in increasing numbers, at the United States recruiting service offices, it was announced today.

Men re-enlisting have been asked why, and to 60 per cent answered that they desired to return to France, 22 per cent wanted vocational training, 16 per cent replied that "the army makes a man of you," and the others said they "liked the life" or could not find employment.

Send American Money to Soldiers.
NEW YORK, March 29.—Transfer of \$2,000,000 in currency from the United States treasury to the steamship von Seuben, which sails tomorrow, was made here today to be used in exchanging French into American dollars for American soldiers on the eve of their departure aboard transports for home.

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QUICK COMFORT
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WILL MAKE SOUTHAMPTON GREAT PASSENGER PORT

Cunard Company Plans Regular Service Between This Port, Cherbourg and New York.

LONDON, March 29.—Southampton is booming. The Cunard Company intends to take the place of the German passenger service of the highest class between Southampton, Cherbourg and New York.

Brigadier-General Hugh Drummond, who presided at the annual meeting of the London and Southwestern Railway Company, said that negotiations had been completed with the Cunard Company under which the port of Southampton would become the home port for the large passenger vessels of that line sailing between this country and North America.

There would now be concentrated at Southampton, he said, the chief passenger services of the White Star Line, the Cunard Line and the Royal Mail and Union Castle Lines. They also were receiving inquiries from steamship companies who wished to make Southampton either their home port or their port of call, and it looked as though they would soon have to take in hand the scheme for the extension of their dock premises.

Sir Alfred Booth, chairman of the Cunard Company, told a representative of the Liverpool Echo that it was inconceivable that the Cunard Line, the premier British line in the North Atlantic, should allow the important passenger traffic between the United States and the channel ports to be monopolized by foreign-owned companies.

"The Cunard Line," he remarked, "does not intend to abandon any service which it has carried on in the past. On the contrary, new services will be established in many directions as fast as the necessary tonnage can be secured."

"The Aquitania and Mauretania will eventually be based at Southampton, while the Liverpool-New York service will be equipped with steamers of greater carrying power."

SIR THOMAS LIPTON COMING
Will Confer With American Yachtsmen as to Resumption of International Races.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 29.—A wireless message received today by the Cunard line from the steamship Aquitania here about 10 A. M. tomorrow, Sir Thomas Lipton is among the passengers to be to confer with American yachtsmen regarding the resumption of international yacht racing.

Georgia Town Objects to Time Zone.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—The request of Albany, Georgia, for that part of the Interstate Commerce Commission order defining time zones which the city was placed in the standard Eastern time zone, was granted today by the commission. The exception was made effective at 2 A. M. tomorrow, the time at which clocks are to be turned ahead an hour for seven months.

Support of Berlin's Unemployed Costly.
BERLIN, March 29.—The support of the unemployed is costing the municipality of Greater Berlin 1,000,000 marks a day. A clerical force of 2,300, with a weekly pay roll of 100,000 marks, is required to keep track of the army of workless people. The city council has voted an appropriation of 100,000,000 marks for public improvements for the purpose of ameliorating the condition of the unemployed, which is rapidly becoming an economic and social menace.

WILL CELEBRATE SIGNING OF PEACE BY BONFIRES

Boy Scouts Will Girdle Globe in Honor of Great Event Soon to Occur.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, March 29.—The suggestion of Sir Robert Baden-Powell, head of the British Boy Scouts, that the millions of Boy Scouts throughout the world celebrate the signing of peace by a world-round chain of bonfires has been adopted by the Boy Scouts of America, it was announced here today by the national headquarters of the organization.

The 367,024 Boy Scouts in the United States will light great fires in all sections of the country on the night the treaty is signed and held appropriate ceremonies.

Fires will be taken beforehand from the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor, and the flames will be carried as far as possible in starting "the liberty beacons," the announcement said.

Cardinal Mercier Coming Soon.
NEW YORK, March 29.—Cardinal Mercier, of Belgium, is planning a visit to the United States within the next few months, according to a statement made today by Chairman Mulligan, of the Knights of Columbus committee on war activities.

Mr. Mulligan, on his recent trip abroad, visited the cardinal at Malines and invited him to be the guest in this country of the Knights of Columbus. The cardinal then told him that his visit was certain and expressed a keen desire to make the trip.

TURNING REFUSED CANNON
INTO FARMING MACHINERY
Americans Grant Germans' Request, Virtually Transforming Sword Into Plowing Hook.

(By Associated Press.)
CORLENZ, March 29.—Eighty big caliber German guns refused by the United States receiving commission because they did not meet certain modern standards have been sold to a Cologne foundry, and are soon to be made into farm implements and other peace-time machinery.

While some of those cannon were cast as long ago as 1870, all had been used at some time or another in the recent war, several of them having done duty against the Americans in the Argonne drive. After the guns had been refused by the Americans, members of the German delivering commission requested that they be permitted to dispose of the war material to a foundry.

The request was granted with the understanding the cannon would quickly be melted into pig iron and that none of this in any way would be used for the manufacture of any kind of firearms.

Virtually all the material which the Germans were to turn over to the Americans according to the terms of the armistice has been delivered.

Import of Russian Notes Prohibited.
LONDON, March 29.—A proclamation was issued last night prohibiting, except under license issued by the treasury, the importation into the United Kingdom of all ruble notes other than those issued by the financial department of the provisional government of North Russia, at Archangel.

Tendency to Constipation?

USE THIS LAXATIVE!

Dietitians advise a "careful diet," but that is troublesome to most people; physical culturists advise "certain exercises," which is good, if one has both the time and the inclination. Doctors advise diet and exercise and medicine. The question is, shall it be a cathartic or purgative medicine? Or a mild, gentle laxative?

Thousands have decided the question to their own satisfaction by using a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin known to druggists as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. A small dose gives a free, easy movement of the bowels. It is the best substitute for nature herself. In fact, since the ingredients are wholly from the vegetable kingdom it may truthfully be said it is a natural laxative.

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\$13.75 to \$17.50

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Women's New Spring Pumps and Oxfords, in tan, black and patent leather, made with wing or plain tips, covered Louis heels; worth \$8.00 to \$10; all sizes, at **\$5.98**

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Women's Comfort Shoes, in sizes up to 9, from 98c to **\$1.98**

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